

SUBJECT: FRAGO 27 TO MARINE CORPS INSTALLATIONS NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION - MARINE CORPS BASE QUANTICO OPERATIONS ORDER 01-20 (OPORD 01-20) INSTALLATIONS PANDEMIC INFLUENZA AND INFECTIOUS DISEASE PLANNING AND RESPONSE

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REF/A-AA/REMAIN UNCHANGED//
REF/AB/USECDEF MEMORANDUM//UPDATED GUIDANCE FOR MASK AND SCREENING TESTING FOR ALL DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE INSTALLATIONS AND OTHER FACILITIES//DATED 1 MARCH 2022

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1. SITUATION. THIS FRAGO UPDATES THE CURRENT MASKING REQUIREMENT ABOARD MARINE CORPS INSTALLATIONS NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (MCINCR) MARINE CORPS BASE, QUANTICO (MCBQ) AND MCAF QUANTICO, VIRGINIA. ADDITIONAL GUIDANCE IN OPORD 1-20 REMAIN IN EFFECT.

1.A.1. PURPOSE: THIS FRAGO IDENTIFIES A CHANGE TO THE MCINCR-MCBQ MASKING REQUIREMENT, EFFECTIVE 1630 2 MARCH 2022.

1.A.2. IAW REFERENCE AB, THE AUTHORITY TO DETERMINE COVID-19 PROTECTIVE POSTURE AND MASKING REQUIREMENTS HAS BEEN DELEGATED TO MILITARY INSTALLATION COMMANDERS.

2. MISSION. UNCHANGED.

3. EXECUTION. UNCHANGED.

3.A. COMMANDER'S INTENT. DUE TO A STEADY DECREASE IN THE NUMBER OF COVID 19 POSITIVE CASES, HOSPITALIZATIONS, THE INCREASE IN VACCINATION PERCENTAGES ACROSS THE REGION, AND LOW-MEDIUM COVID-19 COMMUNITY LEVELS ACROSS OUR NEIGHBORING COUNTIES, I HAVE DIRECTED A CHANGE IN THE MASKING REQUIREMENT FOR THE REGION AS SET FORTH IN THIS FRAGO. MCB QUANTICO WILL CONTINUE TO REVIEW AND REVISE ALL GUIDANCE IAW EMERGING APPLICABLE DIRECTION.

3.B. ENDSTATE. UNCHANGED.

3.C. CONCEPT OF OPERATIONS. EFFECTIVE 1630, 2 MARCH 2022. ALL BASE STAFF ORGANIZATIONS AND TENANT COMMANDS AND ACTIVITIES

SHALL IMPLEMENT THE FOLLOWING PROCEDURES. ALL OTHER GUIDANCE IN OPOD 1-20 REMAINS IN EFFECT.

3.C.1. INDOOR MASK WEARING WILL NO LONGER BE REQUIRED FOR PERSONNEL OR VISITORS ABOARD MCINCR-MCB.

3.C.1.A. MASKS WILL CONTINUE TO BE WORN IN THE CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTERS UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

3.C.1.B. MASKS WILL CONTINUE TO BE WORN AT THE NAVAL HEALTH CLINIC AND ALL CLINIC SATELLITES (TBS AND OCS) UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.

3.C.1.C. TO HELP PREVENT ANY INCREASE IN COVID-19 SPREAD ABOARD THE INSTALLATION, SOCIAL DISTANCING PRACTICES ARE STILL HIGHLY ENCOURAGED.

3.C.1.D. PERSONNEL WHO RECEIVE A COVID-19 POSITIVE TEST OR EXPOSURE TO SOMEONE WITH COVID-19 WILL ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING:

3.C.1.D.1. VACCINATED AND UNVACCINATED PERSONNEL WHO RECEIVE A COVID-19 POSITIVE TEST SHALL ISOLATE FOR (5) DAYS OR UNTIL THEY RECEIVE A NEGATIVE TEST RESULT. AFTER A NEGATIVE TEST OR (5) DAYS OF ISOLATION, VACCINATED AND UNVACCINATED PERSONNEL MAY RETURN TO WORK IF ASYMPTOMATIC, BUT MUST CONTINUE TO WEAR A MASK FOR AN ADDITIONAL (5) DAYS UPON RETURNING TO WORK.

3.C.1.D.2. VACCINATED PERSONNEL WHO ARE EXPOSED TO A COVID-19 POSITIVE INDIVIDUAL MAY REMAIN AT WORK, BUT WILL WEAR A MASK FOR THE NEXT (10) DAYS. MONITOR FOR SYMPTOMS. IF YOU BECOME SYMPTOMATIC WITHIN (5) DAYS, GET TESTED AND FOLLOW GUIDANCE IN PARA 3.C.1.D.1. MASK MAY BE REMOVED IF ASYMPTOMATIC AFTER (10) DAYS.

3.C.1.D.3. UNVACCINATED PERSONNEL WHO ARE EXPOSED TO A COVID-19 POSITIVE INDIVIDUAL MUST QUARANTINE FOR (5) DAYS. MONITOR FOR SYMPTOMS. IF YOU BECOME SYMPTOMATIC DURING QUARANTINE GET TESTED AND FOLLOW GUIDANCE IN PARA 3.C.1.D.1. UNVACCINATED PERSONNEL MAY RETURN TO WORK IF ASYMPTOMATIC AFTER (5) DAYS, BUT MUST CONTINUE TO WEAR A MASK FOR AN ADDITIONAL (5) DAYS UPON RETURNING TO WORK.

3.C.1.F. PERSONNEL AND VISITORS WHO HAVE RECEIVED A COVID-19 NEGATIVE TEST RESULT, BUT ARE EXPERIENCING ANY COLD, FLU, OR COVID-19 SYMPTOMS WILL BE REQUIRED TO WEAR A MASK INDOORS UNTIL THEY ARE SYMPTOM FREE.

3.C.1.G. ALL INDIVIDUALS TO INCLUDE, NAF AND APF EMPLOYEES, CONTRACTORS, MILITARY SERVICE-MEMBERS, AND FAMILY MEMBERS MAY, AND ARE ENCOURAGED TO CONTINUE TO WEAR A MASK WHILE ABOARD MCINCR-MCBQ.

3.C.2. WORKPLACE OCCUPANCY WILL REMAIN AT 75%. FACILITATION OF TELEWORKING ON A SITUATIONAL OR CASE-BY-CASE BASIS WILL BE MISSION DEPENDENT AND REMAIN WITH THE DISCRETION OF UNIT/BRANCH LEADERS.

3.C.3. WAIVERS ARE STILL REQUIRED FOR ANY PLANNED IN-PERSON MEETINGS, EVENTS, AND CONFERENCES SPONSORED BY DOD WITH MORE THAN 50 PARTICIPANTS. THE MEETING ORGANIZER WILL OBTAIN ADVANCED APPROVAL FROM THEIR DOD OR OSD COMPONENT HEAD PRIOR TO HOLDING THE MEETING (REF DEPSECDEF MEMO DTD 24 SEP 2021).

3.C.4. NEW POLICY AT DOD SCHOOLS IS STILL BEING PROMULGATED AND WILL BE PROVIDED VIA SEPCOR. CURRENT MASK AND POSTURE STATUS WILL BE MAINTAINED FOR THE TIME BEING.

3.D. TASKS

3.D.1. MCINCR-MCBQ STAFF SECTIONS, SUBORDINATE COMMANDS AND TENANT COMMANDS AND ACTIVITIES. ENSURE WIDEST DISTRIBUTION OF THIS FRAGO TO ALL PERSONNEL.

3.D.2 TENANT ORGANIZATION WILL CONTINUE TO REPORT POSITIVE AND RECOVERED COVID-19 NUMBERS TO MCBQ G-1 DAILY.

3.D.3. COMMSTRAT. DEVELOP AND INITIATE A DISSEMINATION PLAN THAT IDENTIFIES THE GUIDANCE OF THIS FRAGO. INCLUDE THE BASE WEBSITE, SOCIAL MEDIA, ETC.

4. ADMINISTRATION AND LOGISTICS. UNCHANGED.

5. COMMAND AND SIGNAL. UNCHANGED.

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